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PATENT

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In re: Middeldorp et al.

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For: *PEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCES RELATED TO THE
EPSTEIN BARR VIRUS*

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Commissioner for Patents

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Amendment

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of August 8, 2003, it is respectfully requested that this application be reconsidered in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.